

**Crime and Community Safety Briefing Paper  
Malmesbury Community Area Board  
Nov 2011**



**1. Neighbourhood Policing**

**Sector Commander:** Insp Chris Martin

**NPT Sgt:** Martin Alvis

**Town Centre Team**

Beat Manager – PC Sam Bussey

PCSO – Dee Curran

**Malmesbury Rural Team**

Beat Manager – PC Steve Humphries

PCSO – Durry Maule

**Ashton Keynes & Minety Team**

Beat Manager – PC Steve Harvey

PCSO Sam Walsh

**2. NPTs - Current Priorities & Consultation Opportunities:**

Up-to-date details about Neighbourhood Policing Teams including team membership, current priorities and forthcoming community consultation events can be found on our Wiltshire Police Website.

□ Visit the new and improved website at: [www.wiltshire.police.uk](http://www.wiltshire.police.uk)

**3. Police Authority Representative: Mrs Carole Soden**

Please contact via Wiltshire Police Authority Tel. 01380 734022 or <http://www.wiltshire-pa.gov.uk/feedback.asp>

**4. Performance and Other Local Issues**

The Malmesbury area has seen an overall drop in crime of 14% compared with the previous year figures. It is pleasing to see dwelling burglary figures have dropped, in the last fortnight a local man has been arrested and charged for a burglary in Malmesbury Town.

We have seen a slight increase in thefts from motor vehicles, can I remind drivers to remove valuables from vehicles and take simple security measures such as wiping away suction marks from windows where your Sat Nav attaches, hiding cables etc.

Anti social behaviour again has seen a drop in reported calls. Officers have been working closely with Malmesbury Town Council in relation to damage to play equipment in the Town. A number of young people have been spoken although no admissions as yet.

In the villages following concern from residents and motorists, Officers are targeting drivers that speed, drive whilst using their mobiles and other related matters. It is hoped that with some enforcement and education that motorist will abide by the rules of the road, improving road safety for all.

Malmesbury	Crime				Detections	
	October 2009 - September 2010	October 2010 - September 2011	Volume Change	% Change	October 2009 - September 2010	October 2010 - September 2011
Violence Against the Person	75	58	-17	-23%	45%	57%
Dwelling Burglary	40	27	-13	-33%	10%	0%
Criminal Damage	109	71	-38	-35%	6%	15%
Non Dwelling Burglary	69	70	1	1%	0%	0%
Theft from Motor Vehicle	29	33	4	14%	7%	0%
Theft of Motor Vehicle	19	17	-2	-11%	11%	18%
Total Crime	564	487	-77	-14%	16%	20%
Total ASB	298	272	-26	-9%		

Wiltshire Police are compared against a group of 8 most similar forces. Wiltshire Police have performed better than peers for Violent Crime in the previous 12 month period (Sept 2010 - Aug 2011) and better than peers for All Recorded Crime in the most recent three months (Jun - Aug 2011)

**Insp Chris Martin**  
**Area Commander**